



New South Wales

Public Health (COVID-19 Vaccination of Health Care Workers) Amendment Order 2021

under the

Public Health Act 2010

I, Brad Hazzard, the Minister for Health and Medical Research, make the following Order under the *Public Health Act 2010*, section 7.

Dated 29 September 2021 at 2:44pm.

BRAD HAZZARD, MP
Minister for Health and Medical Research

Explanatory note

The object of this Order is to amend the *Public Health (COVID-19 Vaccination of Health Care Workers) Order 2021* to exclude certain health care workers who are remotely providing non-health services from the requirement to be vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine.

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1 Name of Order

This Order is the *Public Health (COVID-19 Vaccination of Health Care Workers) Amendment Order 2021*.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Public Health (COVID-19 Vaccination of Health Care Workers) Order 2021

[1] Clause 2 Definitions

Omit “within the meaning of the *Health Services Act 1997*” from clause 2(1), definition of *health care worker*, paragraph (a)(i).

[2] Clause 2(1)

Insert in alphabetical order—

health service has the same meaning as in the *Health Services Act 1997*.

public health organisation has the same meaning as in the *Health Services Act 1997*.

[3] Clause 4 Directions of Minister for health care workers to be vaccinated

Insert after clause 4(1)—

(1A) Subclause (1) does not apply in relation to work done for a public health organisation, the Health Administration Corporation, the Ambulance Service of NSW or the Ministry of Health under a contract of service or a contract for services if—

(a) the work does not involve the provision of a health service, and

(b) the person doing the work is not physically present, while doing the work, at premises operated by the public health organisation, Health Administration Corporation, Ambulance Service of NSW or Ministry of Health.